DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years.	*Current.*	
Price of food grains—Rice ...	7·1	7 to 7·25	seers per rupee.
Ragi ...	14·7	13·50 to 14	

Rangoon rice, 2nd sort, is sold at 8 seers per rupee.

Agricultural operations.—Fields are being ploughed.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being manured and ploughed in parts of Bangalore, Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli and Anekal Taluks and harvesting of Vaisakhi paddy is going on.

Standing crops.—Such as Vaisakhi paddy, til, haraka and jola are in good condition.

Crops sown.—Punaji paddy in parts of Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks; til in parts of Anekal Taluk and sugar-cane in parts of Dodballapur Taluk.

Crops harvested and their probable outturn.—Vaisakhi paddy in parts of Devanhalli Taluk, yield 4 to 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair, but rain is still wanted in parts almost all the taluks especially in the hoblis of Solur, Kuduru and Tippasandra of Magadi Taluk. Food stuffs are sufficiently available.

11. Except for the prevalence of small-pox and measles in parts of Hoskote and Magadi Taluks, the public health is generally good.

12. Except for rinderpest prevalent in parts of Kankanhalli Taluk, and Closepet Sub-Taluk, cattle are healthy. Water, pasture and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Raiyats are engaged in ploughing and manuring the fields all over the district.

Standing crops.—In Kolar, Bowringpet, Goribidnur and Srinivaspur Taluks and in the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, sugar-cane is reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Turmeric in Goribidnur Taluk; gingelly and samé in Malur Taluk; punaji paddy, til and haraka in Srinivaspur Taluk; ragi in Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Vaisakhi paddy in Goribidnur and Srinivaspur Taluks, yield 4 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available. Labor is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for small-pox and measles in Malur town and dysentery in Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are sufficient in all the taluks, except in Chikballapur town and parts of Chikballapur Taluk, where water scarcity is felt to some extent.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in Chiknayakanhalli and Tiptur; nat ragi in Pavagada and Sira; haraka in Chiknayakanhalli, Tiptur and Gubbi; ragi in Turuvekere; castor in Chiknayakanhalli and Tiptur; cholam in Gubbi; togari in Tiptur and avare in Turuvekere.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Gubbi, Tiptur, Kunigal and Koratagere and sugar-cane in Kunigal.

Condition of crops.—Fair in all the taluks, except Chiknayakanhalli and Pavagada where they are reported to be withering for want of rain.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. But rain is needed in Chiknayakanhalli and Pavagada. Food grains are available. Their prices are steady.

11. Public health is generally good, except in Chitnahalli and Bellahalli villages of Gubbi Taluk, where cholera prevails in a mild form.

12. Water and fodder are fairly available in Pavagada, and in sufficient quantities in the other taluks of the district.

MYSORE.

8. Market fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of the Mandya, Krishnarajpete and Nagamangala Taluks.

Crops sown.—Ragi in parts of the Heggaddevankote Taluk; haraka and paddy in parts of the Malvalli Taluk.

State of standing crops reported to be good in all the taluks. Chamrajnagar and Gundlupet Taluks require rain for the standing crops.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in parts of the Mandya Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available

11. Except for plague in parts of the Mysore and Hunsur Taluks, and cholera in parts of the Nagamangala Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Except for 'Dod Roga' in parts of the Mysore and Hunsur Taluks, cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Paddy is being transplanted on lands under channels in Hole-Narsipur Taluk.

Condition of standing crops.—Ragi, paddy, sugar-cane in Hassan, Belur, Channarayapatna Taluks and Alur Sub-Taluk; ragi and paddy in Arkalgud Taluk; paddy and sugar-cane in Arsikere Taluk; kode paddy in Manjarabad Taluk; ragi, jola, togari, haralu, green and black grams, yellu and chillies in Channarayapatna, Arsikere, Hassan and Hole-Narsipur Taluks are reported to be in good condition; but rain is wanted everywhere.

10. Public health is generally good. Rain is needed at present.

11 Public health is generally good. Cholera is reported to be prevailing in parts of Hassan and Channarayapatna Taluks, and at Belur, there was a case of plague.

12. Fodder and water are available and cattle are healthy. 'Dod Roga' is reported to have subsided in the Thimmanahalli village, Alur Sub-Taluk.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed and prepared for sowing seeds. Paddy is being sown in parts of Sorab, Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks and in parts of

the Kumsi Sub-Taluk. Progress of agricultural operations is retarded in maidan taluks for want of rain.

Standing crops.—Kar paddy in Sagar Taluk and sugar-cane in Channagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar and Nagar Taluks and in Kumsi Sub-Taluk are in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Kar paddy is being harvested in parts of the Sagar Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. Food stuffs are available. Rain is wanted in all parts of the district.

11. Public health is generally good. Cholera is prevailing in parts of the Benkipur hobli in the Shimoga Taluk, and in the Sunkadakatte village in the Honnali Taluk.

12. Fodder and water are available in sufficient quantities. Rinderpest prevails in parts of Tirthahalli and Shikarpur Taluks.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Wet lands are being ploughed in Koppa, Mudgere, Yedahalli and Sringeri.

Crops sown.—Paddy and ragi in Mudgere.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane, kar paddy, ragi, avare, onions, garlic, gingelly and mustard in Chikmagalur; kar paddy, gingelly, ragi, jola, garlic and sugar-cane in Kadur; sugar-cane in Tarikere; kode paddy, paddy and ragi in Mudgere; and sugar-cane in Yedahalli and Sringeri. These are reported to be in fair condition, and are in urgent need of rain.

Crops harvested.—In Chikmagalur kar paddy, yield 12 annas. In Mudgere kode paddy on a small scale.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Rain is said to be urgently wanted for agricultural operations throughout the district. Food stuffs are sufficiently available.

11. Except for plague in Tegur village of the Chikmagalur Taluk and cholera in certain villages of the Kadur Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. 'Foot and mouth' disease in the town of Sringeri is reported to be subsiding. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops,* such as paddy, sugar-cane, jola, togari, castor, sesamum, haraka, green gram and tobacco are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds sown.—Ragi in the Challakere and Hiriyur Taluks; jola and togari in the Hiriyur Taluk; sesamum and castor in the Hiriyur, Davangere and Jagalur Taluks and cotton in the Davangere and Jagalur Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in the Chitaldrug, Challakere, Hiriyur and Hosdurga Taluks, yield 8 to 16 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

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